LITTLE TRAVERSE BAY BANDS OF ODAWA INDIANS 7500 Odawa Circle Harbor Springs, MI 49740

RESOLUTION # 080804-02

Request for Funding from the Indian Land Tenure Foundation,
Indian Culture and Land Tenure Program,
Presentation of Tribal Land Histories to Youth/Tribal Leaders/Elders for a
"Land Tenure History Project"

- WHEREAS: the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians ("LTBB" or "Tribe") is a Federally recognized Indian Tribe reaffirmed by the Unites States Congress on September 21, 1994 in Public Law 103-324, as amended, which exercises sovereign governmental authority over the people, land, and water within its jurisdiction and administers a wide range of governmental programs;
- **WHEREAS:** the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians Tribal Council is the elected governing body of the Tribe;
- WHEREAS: the LTBB Government operates an Archives, Records and Cultural Preservation Department whose purpose is to collect, preserve, manage, and protect all the Tribe's records that are deemed significant and contain information, knowledge, and wisdom of the Tribe's past, present and future in any form that might exist or means to collect it;
- **WHEREAS:** the Indian Land Tenure Foundation has announced a request for proposals for funding to help Indians become more informed about their relationship to the land by promoting and preserving tribal culture.

THEREFORE BE IT RESOLVED that the Tribal Council of the Little Traverse Bay Bands of Odawa Indians authorizes and supports this request for funding from the Indian Land Tenure Foundation, Indian Culture and Land Tenure Program, Presentation of Tribal Land Histories to Youth/Tribal Leaders/Elders, "Waganakising Odawa Land Tenure History Project" to reconnect Tribal culture with land through research and presentation on tribal land tenure histories and cultural land practices.

BE IT FURTHER RESOLVED that Tribal Chairman Frank Ettawageshik or his designee is authorized to execute any documents necessary to apply for, receive, and administer funds under the grant.

CERTIFICATION

As Tribal Chairman and Tr Tribal Council of the Littl Tribal Council held August opposed, abstentions, a	e Traverse Ba t 8, 2004 at wh	y Bands of Odaich a quorum w	awa Indians at as present, by a	a regular meeting of the
Regina Bentley Frank Ettawageshik Frederick Harrington, Jr. Beatrice Law Dexter McNamara Rita Shananaquet Alice Yellowbank	In Favor	Opposed	Abstained	Absent
Date:				, Tribal Chairman Tribal Secretary